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IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE
DECISION TO APPROVE THE
LARGE MINE NOTICE OF INTENTION :
FOR THE DUCHESNE COUNTY
ASPHALT MINE :
UNITAH COUNTY, UTAH : NO. M/047/028

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION,
MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 2 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST, UBM,
UNITAH COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
of its tentative decision to approve the Large Mining Operations
Notice of Intention for the Duchesne County Asphalt Mine. Mining
activities will affect the following area: W1/2 NW1/4, and NW1/4
SW1/4, Section 19, T2N, R1E, UBM, Uintah County, Utah.

The operator will employ the following mining and reclama-
tion techniques on approximately 36.86 acres of land.

During Operations
Surface mining of far sands using conventional equipment such as
bulldozers, front end loaders, and trucks. Removal of overburden,
surface blasting of far sands, processing far sands through a
crushing system and stockpiling the crushed material for use in
paving roads in Duchesne County. Active mining and crushing
take place on a seasonal basis.

Following Operations
All drill holes will be plugged. Access roads will be ripped to a
depth of one to two feet with road cuts being regraded close to
the approximate original contour. Waste stockpile material shall
be placed into the pit as partial backfill against the highwall and
be graded to provide positive drainage out of the pit. Topsoil mate-
rial shall be placed over the backfill. Composted manure at the
rate of 10 ton/acre will be spread over the backfilled area, the
crushing and material stockpile areas, the topsoil stockpile area,
and the previous crushing and stockpile areas. The compost shall
be ripped into the upper six inches of soil. All affected areas will
be broadcast seeded immediately after completion of the earth-
work, preferable in the fall.

Final regraded surfaces shall be left in an extremely roughened
condition to minimize erosion, and enhance moisture retention.
Where available, rocks and grubbed vegetation will be randomly
placed on the regraded areas to discourage public access and
break the area up visually. Signs will be placed in several loca-
tions around the perimeter of the backfilled pit area warning of
the highwall hazard. All structures and debris shall be removed
from the site.

The natural drainage system leading into the reclaimed mine
area shall be re-established by grading drainage channels
through the site to match the size of the undisturbed channel into
the site. Reconstructed drainage channels shall be broadcast
seeded. The main access road into the site shall remain for con-
tinued access to private lands.

The person representing the operator is Mr. Doug Nielsen:
Phone (435) 738-2468. Duchesne County is fulfilling obligations
under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Utah Code
Ann. §40-8-18.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision
to issue approval is hereby requested to submit written protest
within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to Pamela Grub-
bough-Littig, Associate Director of Mining, Division of Oil, Gas and
Mining, 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, Box 145801, Salt Lake
City, Utah 84114-5801, setting forth factual reasons for the com-
plaint. If no responsive written protests are received by the Divi-
sion within 30 days after the last date of publication, the tentative
decision of the Division will be final.

DATED THIS 26th day of October, 2000

STATE OF UTAH
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

/s/ Lowell P. Braxton, Director
Lowell P. Braxton, Director

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